Subject: ANS Aquisitions--Indian coinage.

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[Director of Archaeology in India

Benmore, Simla, India]

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Sir John Marshall
Director General of Archaeology in India
Benmore
Simla, India

Dear Sir:

Our Museum is paying especial attention to Indian coins and we have built up a very extensive collection of these, many of which are acknowledged rarities.

Would it be possible for the American Numismatic Society to be placed on your list of museums which receive specimens of coins from treasure-trove?

Sincerely yours,

Curator

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D.O. NO.119- 4149

Office of the Director General of Archæology in India.
SIMLA, the 6th October 1921.

Dear Sir,

Please refer to your letter dated the 26th August 1921, regarding supply of Treasure Trove coins to the American Numismatic Society. I regret to inform you that, so far as I am aware, no foreign institutions are maintained on the Distribution List for Treasure Trove coins. But the Society could place a standing order with the Archaeological Section of the Indian Museum, Calcutta, to purchase one or more specimens at the Society's cost whenever coins are left over for sale after distribution in this country.

Yours faithfully,

John Marshall

Director General.

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